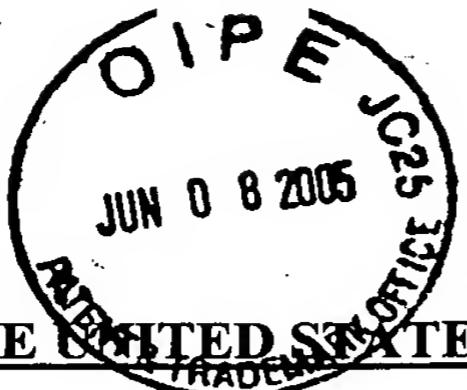


IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



In re U.S. Patent Application of)
ISHIHARA et al.)
Application Number: 10/617,755)
Filed: July 14, 2003)
For: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE)
Attorney Docket No. HITA.0411)
Honorable Assistant Commissioner)
for Patents)
Washington, D.C. 20231)

PETITION TO WITHDRAW FROM ISSUE
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.313(c)(2) AFTER PAYMENT OF ISSUE FEE

Sir:

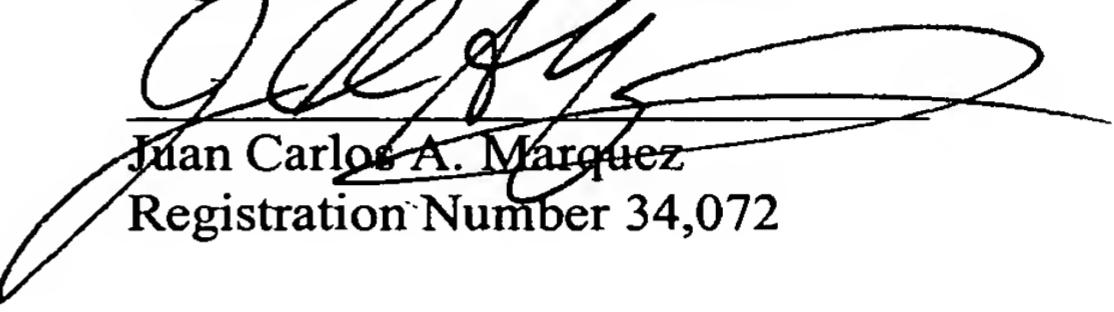
Applicants respectfully petition that the above identified application be withdrawn from issue. Withdrawal from issue is necessary in order to consider a Request for Continuing Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.313(c)(2).

The issue fee was paid on May 24, 2005. However, Applicants discovered some errors in the claims. Applicants hereby file a Request for Continuing Examination with a Preliminary Amendment amending the claims in conjunction with filing an RCE. Applicants respectfully request the application be withdrawn from issue in order to permit the Examiner to consider the amendments.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the required petition fee. The commission is hereby authorized to charge any insufficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-1480.

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